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Attached for your information is a list of possible topics that the DDI Congressional Briefing Staff thinks might come up with a very short lead time for Congressional briefing. No work is required. If you have any others that you might want to add or think any of these don't make any sense, please let me know.

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POSSIBLE TOPICS FOR A SHORT-NOTICE WORLDWIDE CONGRESSIONAL BRIEFING

USSR-US Relations

USSR Strategic Weapons Update

USSR Economy--Problems and Prospects

China - Internal (Teng, Party Congress)

China-US Relations.

Middle East (including West Bank, prospects)

South Africa/Southern Africa (incl. test site)

Ethiopia-Somalia (including USSR angle)

Egypt-Libya

Panama (Torrijos and referendum)

East Europe - more ferment

Cubans in Africa

Nuclear Proliferation

Oil Supply - NIO/E Excluded Surrousion - Nio/usiR